SBCTRB APPEALS PROCESS

- The timeframes for processing appeals are subject to the review board continuation policy which permits the parties to agree to continue appeal proceedings.
- The timeframes for processing appeals may not be able to be met if multiple appeals are received by the Office of the Review Board within a short span of time. In that case, processing will be in the order of the receipt of the appeals.

| Activity | Number of Days from Receipt of Appeal Application if Informal Fact-Finding Conference is not Necessary | Number of Days from Receipt of Appeal Application if Informal Fact-Finding Conference is Necessary |
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| Letter goes out to parties to provide additional information. | 7 days | 7 days |
| Parties send in (or staff obtains) additional needed information. | 21 days (14 days from last step) | 21 days (14 days from last step) |
| 3. Staff review of case to determine whether informal fact-finding conference is necessary or whether appeal can be process with just a staff document. | 35 days (14 days from last step) | 35 days (14 days from last step) |
| Informal fact-finding conference held. | N/A | 56 days (21 days from last step) |
| 5. Staff document sent to parties. | 49 days (14 days from last step) | 77 days (21 days from last step) |
| 6. Parties respond with objections, corrections or additions to staff document and submit written arguments and additional documents. | 70 days (21 days from last step) | 98 days (21 days from last step) |
| 7. Hearing before Review Board held. | 90 days (20 days from last step) | 120 days (22 days from last step) |